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City- County Councilor Michael McQuillen Joins City's Curbside Recycling Program

City-County Councilor Michael McQuillen is one of the city's newest curbside recycling participants. "It was really easy to sign up" said McQuillen, "I made a phone call and a few days later a 96 gallon cart was delivered to my house, along with a collection schedule. This is a great program that I hope more citizens take advantage of. It's a great way to get involved in making our city a greener, more sustainable community."

The City of Indianapolis offers curbside recycling to all Indianapolis residents through a subscription service. Curbside recycling is picked up bi-weekly and has a fee of \$6 a month. In most cases when you subscribe to this service you receive a 96 gallon cart for the placement of your recyclable materials. The accepted materials that you can place in these carts are glass, #1 & #2 plastics, aluminum, tin, and steel beverage and food cans, newspapers, cardboard and magazines. Citizens can participate in curbside recycling by contacting Republic Waste Services of Central Indiana (317) 917-7300

Indianapolis Citizens can participate in either curbside or drop-off recycling. The City provides twenty-eight (28) drop-off locations in Marion County.

For more information about the City's recycling programs, visit www.sustainindy.org and click on the solid waste and recycling link.

Recycling helps to improve the local environment, build our economy, and enhance our quality of life. Recycling prevents materials from being thrown away, reducing the need for landfills. The market for products made out of recycled material is growing, helping to create new jobs and reducing the need to extract and process raw materials.

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